



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



November 1998

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons Killed	Number of Persons Injured	Estimated Damage Property	Estimated Damage Crops	Character of Storm
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CONNECTICUT, Northeast

CTZ002	Hartford	11	0500EST 1000EST	0	0	Strong Winds
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An intense low pressure system moving from the Great Lakes into Ontario Province produced strong south winds in advance of its associated cold front. A peak gust to 54 MPH was reported at Bradley International Airport in Windsor Locks. Other peak gusts included 43 MPH at Brainard Field in Hartford, and also in Manchester. Only minor damage resulted from the strong winds. One tree was blown down in Windsor causing an isolated power outage.

MASSACHUSETTS, Central and East

MAZ004>007-012>024	Northern Worcester - Western Middlesex - Western Essex - Eastern Essex - Southern Worcester - Western Norfolk - Southeast Middlesex - Suffolk - Eastern Norfolk - Northern Bristol - Western Plymouth - Eastern Plymouth - Southern Bristol - Southern Plymouth - Barnstable - Dukes - Nantucket	11	0500EST 1100EST	0	0	Strong Winds
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MAZ013-022	Western Norfolk - Barnstable	11	0709EST 0945EST	0	0	High Wind (G58)
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An intense low pressure system moving from the Great Lakes into Ontario Province produced strong south winds in advance of its associated cold front. The strongest winds occurred across Cape Cod and the Islands, and also at the higher elevations of eastern Massachusetts. The Blue Hills Observatory in Milton, at an elevation of 600 feet, reported a peak wind gust to 67 MPH at 709 am, and winds gusted over 58 MPH from about 600 am to 830 am. A peak gust to 58 MPH was reported in Pocasset on Cape Cod, while a gust to 50 MPH was reported from Edgartown on Martha's Vineyard. Other strong wind gusts included 51 MPH at Fall River, 49 MPH at Acushnet, 47 MPH at Provincetown, 46 MPH at New Bedford and Winthrop, 44 MPH at Falmouth, 43 MPH at Taunton and Worcester, and 41 MPH at Plymouth. Only minor property damage was reported as a result of the strong winds. A sign was blown down in Freetown, and tree limbs and a few trees were also blown down. A few isolated power outages also occurred.

MAZ004>024	Northern Worcester - Western Middlesex - Western Essex - Eastern Essex - Western Hampshire - Western Hampden - Eastern Hampshire - Eastern Hampden - Southern Worcester - Western Norfolk - Southeast Middlesex - Suffolk - Eastern Norfolk - Northern Bristol - Western Plymouth - Eastern Plymouth - Southern Bristol - Southern Plymouth - Barnstable - Dukes - Nantucket	26	1200EST 1900EST	1	0	Strong Winds
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An intensifying low pressure system moved northeast across southern New England on Thanksgiving Day. Most of central and eastern Massachusetts was affected by strong winds. Gusty south to southeast winds occurred in advance of the approaching system, and strong west to northwest winds followed in its wake. One person was killed in Worcester when a tree was blown down onto a moving car. The peak gust reported during this event was 53 MPH at Edgartown, on Martha's Vineyard. Other strong wind gusts included 48 MPH at Blue Hills Observatory in Milton, 46 MPH at Worcester and Provincetown, 45 MPH at Martha's Vineyard Airport, 44 MPH at Hyannis and Nantucket, and 43 MPH at Winthrop. M43VE

NEW HAMPSHIRE, Southern

NHZ011>012	Cheshire - Hillsborough	11	0600EST 1100EST	0	0	Strong Winds
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An intense low pressure system moving from the Great Lakes into Ontario Province produced strong south winds in advance of its associated cold front. Peak wind gusts reached close to 40 MPH, but were as high as 43 MPH in Manchester. There were no reports of wind damage,



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RHODE ISLAND

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Northwest Providence - Southeast Providence - Western Kent - Eastern Kent - Bristol - Washington - Newport

11	0500EST 1000EST				0	0			Strong Winds
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An intense low pressure system moving from the Great Lakes into Ontario Province produced strong south winds in advance of its associated cold front. Some peak wind gusts included 52 MPH at T.F. Green Airport in Warwick, 50 MPH at Portsmouth, 49 MPH at Tiverton, 46 MPH at Block Island, and 43 MPH at Newport. There were no reports of wind damage.,

RIZ004>007

Eastern Kent - Bristol - Washington - Newport

26	1200EST 1900EST				0	0			Strong Winds
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An intensifying low pressure system moved northeast across southern New England on Thanksgiving Day. All of Rhode Island experienced gusty winds from this storm system, but the strongest winds occurred across the southern half of the state. The peak wind gust at T.F. Green Airport in West Warwick was 43 MPH.